

House File 2459

H-8241

1 Amend House File 2459 as follows:

2 1. Page 4, after line 19 by inserting:

3 <Sec. _____. Section 135.190, subsection 1, as
4 enacted by 2016 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2218, section 1,
5 is amended by adding the following new paragraph:
6 NEW PARAGRAPH. *Oa.* "*Licensed health care*
7 *professional*" means the same as defined in section
8 280.16.

9 Sec. _____. Section 135.190, subsection 1, as enacted
10 by 2016 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2218, section 1, is
11 amended by adding the following new subsection:

12 NEW SUBSECTION. 1A. Notwithstanding any other
13 provision of law to the contrary, a licensed health
14 care professional may prescribe an opioid antagonist to
15 a person in a position to assist.

16 Sec. _____. Section 135.190, subsection 3, as enacted
17 by 2016 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2218, section 1, is
18 amended to read as follows:

19 3. A person in a position to assist or a prescriber
20 of an opioid antagonist who has acted reasonably and in
21 good faith shall not be liable for any injury arising
22 from the provision, administration, or assistance in
23 the administration of an opioid antagonist as provided
24 in this section.>

25 2. Page 5, after line 13 by inserting:

26 <Sec. _____. 2016 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2218,
27 as enacted, is amended by adding the following new
28 section:

29 NEW SECTION. SEC. _____. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT.
30 This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, takes
31 effect upon enactment.

32 Sec. _____. EFFECTIVE UPON ENACTMENT. The following
33 provision or provisions of this division of this Act,
34 being deemed of immediate importance, takes effect upon
35 enactment:

1 1. The sections of this division of this Act
2 amending section 135.190.

3 2. The section of this division of this Act
4 amending 2016 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2218.

5 Sec. _____. RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY. The following
6 provision or provisions of this division of this Act
7 apply retroactively to April 6, 2016:

8 1. The sections of this division of this Act
9 amending section 135.190.

10 2. The section of this division of this Act
11 amending 2016 Iowa Acts, Senate File 2218.>

12 3. Title page, line 3, after <atters> by inserting
13 <, and including effective date and retroactive
14 applicability date provisions>

15 4. By renumbering as necessary.

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